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Study Guide- Chapter 5
Weather & Other Earth Changes
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1. Precipitation water falling from the sky as snow, rain and hail.
2. Evaporate to change into gas because of heat.
3. Erosion wind breaking down rock.
4. earthquake a shaking of the ground caused by a shift in the Earth's crust
5. Volcano a mountain made of cooled lava.
6. landslide the quick movement of soil down a hill.
7. condenses when water vapor changes to a liquid.
8. Water Vapor water that goes into the air.
9. The sun, a hair dryer, and a stove can cause water to evaporate.
10. Water can cause erosion of a sandy beach.
11. Lava melted rock that hardens when it cools.
12. Plants help prevent erosion of soil.
13. Both tornados and earthquakes can cause destruction.
14. Not enough rain can cause a drought.

Complete each step in the Water Cycle

15. Heat from the sun evaporates water.
16. Water vapor rises. It cools and condenses into tiny drops of water.
17. The drops of water form clouds.
18. When the drops of water get big enough, they fall to the ground as precipitation.
19. Water returns to the lakes and oceans. The cycle begins again.